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AN ENGLISHMAN'S VIEWS ON THE AMERICAN SCHOOL SYSTEM.

The Mosely English School Commission which recently visited portions of this country and inspected its public and higher educational systems, conand among them was George E. Cockburn a well known and experienced educator of Great Britain. Mr Cockburn was especially impressed and that favorably with the non-observance of class distinctions especially in the found absolutely no difference in this respect and that the children of the rich and the poor, of the lawyer, the merchant, the professor, the banker, the blacksmith, the carpenter, the hodcarrier and the day laborer were treated alike in the schools and no difference was made between them. They attentive alike. Mr. Cockburn concluded that this was a good thing and self same thing will have to be introduced in the schools of Great Britain. The principle thing Mr. Cockburn found to criticize in the American school system was the small pay received by the male teachers not only in the public schools, but also in the colleges and universities.

"It seems to me," says he, "that Americans are too lavish in their expenditures for school buildings and could better employ some of the money thus spent in raising the salaries of the teachers. And you have not because or the low standard of salaries paid. On the salaries paid in this country they are unable to save any money. I believe it will become necessary in America some day to pension the men who have taught for years. Salaries here are about the same as are paid in England, but in our country living expenses are much lower than here. I am not saying that American teachers are not competent, for they are. But it is admitted by Americans themselves that they are underpaid." Of course this argument applies to universities as well as schools. The recent gift of several millions to Harvard was coupled with directions to the effect that the professors affected should receive greater remuneration than has been custom-

Charles A. Towne, now a coal oil magnate in New York City, formerly a sort of a right hand man to the "Crown of thorns and cross of gold," has been elected by Bosses Croker and Murphy as a candidate to fill the vacancy caused by the election of George B. McClellan to be Tammany mayor of Gotham, in the national house of representatives. Towne, it will be remembered, was one of the loudest free silver shouters in the Bryan cortage from 1896 to 1902. Thereafter he went to New York to turn his atention to trust speculation and oil investments. Now he will land again in congress to represent the interests of Tammany Hall, the most corrupt political organization in the United States. The strange whirligig of time is very aptly illustrated in this man's career.

Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland, defeated Democratic candidate for governor of Ohio at the last election, now attempts to soften the defeat by saying that the state Republican central committee had vast amounts of money with which to debauch the voters. He probably desires to admit in the words of a prominent Ohio Democrat that "those blamed Republican scamps have bought us Democrats again."

Although Mr. Cannon is speaker of the house of representatives no boom is required and progressive, courageous and advanced where these qualities are necessary. The speakership matters. C. A. Lindsay, P. M., Bron-Is in safe hands.

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In addition to the fight on statehood Delegate Rodey will have to keep a sharp lookout on the international dam steal and public land grab on the now being attempted by Texas congressmen. The New Mexican thinks that the delegate is able to do both nutrition. For and that successfully.

The United States Senate now contains 57 Republicans and 33 Demo- food, which is crats, not a single Senator can be the source of all justly called a Populist. Ten years has brought about a great change in that bedy and cortainly doesn't feel just has brought about a great change in that respect in that body and certainly one for the better and which has proved of great benefit to the best in- has an uncomfortterests of the nation.

Germans are considered a sturdy race but recent official statistics issued by the Germans themselves show that the race is deteriorating, due to the influence of alcohol and dissipation. Only 54 per cent of the young men called to military service, are physically fit to be enrolled in the ranks. In other words nearly one-half of the young Germans between the ages of 18 and 22 are incapable of bearing arms.

Delegate Rodey's attention is called to the bill introduced by Congressman Stephens of Texas, which, if passed, will take from New Mexico a strip of land three miles wide, extending from the northeast to the southeast corner of the Territory on the eastern line, and give it to the land grabbers, cattle syndicates, and rich stock barons of Texas. That the delegate will take up this matter and will protect the Territains some very observing members tory's interest, there is no doubt. Of course, he will have to fight for his rights, but then he is a very good

Indications are multiplying that the people of New Mexico are prospering public schools, which means that he and ought to be well satisfied with the condition of affairs. The Deming Graphic brings an instance to light in a recent editorial when it says: "Probate Clerk B. Y. McKeyes informs us that there are being more than twice as many releases of mortgages filed in his office now as of mortgages. This is a very good sign were required to be neat, clean and as it indicates that people are making money and paying off their debts in games and an ex-champion prize fightstead of going into debt in order to now states that sooner or later this keep their business going. Luna him. County is coming to the front in great shape.

the future.

thievery. The pickpocket betrays no maimed or killed." confidence, he asks no meed or respect from those he robs. The grafter deliberately robs those who have elevated him to a place of power and honor; he plunders those who have given him the guardianship of their property or the watching of their interests. The guest who steals from the table of his host the silver spoons placed by his plate has in him the making of a successful grafter." The president is severe upon the grafter, ing the whole campaign. whether such grafter is a United States Senator, a political leader of merely a humble employe of the postoffice department.

Judge W. H. Pope has evidently won Pittsburg. the good opinion of the people of Chaes and Eddy Counties, where he has held district court recently. "The San prohibiting the sale of toy pistols. Marcial Bee, a paper published in the Fifth Judicial District in which Judge Pope is presiding comments on this public to a minimum. state of affairs as follows: "Both the Roswell newspapers speak appreciatjudge has handled the business that other day with his dog and herd. has come before him is most pleasing to the people of Roswell and of Chaves County. Judge Pope has greatly pleased all with whom he has come in contact leaving them impressed with the readiness and alertness of his mind and the easy manner in which he has acted."

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A Strong Man

dam steal and public land grab on the astern border of the Territory, both now being attempted by Texas conits associated organs of digestion and

when the stomach is diseased there is a loss of the nutrition contained in right, when he doesn't sleep well, able feeling in the stomach after eating, is languid, nervous and irrita-ble, he is losing the nutrition needed to make strength Such a man needs

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Mr. Thomas A. Swarts, of Sub. Station C, Columbus, Ohio, Box 103, writes: "I was taken very sick with severe headache, then cramps in the stomach and my food would not digest, then kidney and liver trouble and my back got weak so I could scarcely get around. The more I doctored the worse I got until six years passed. I could only walk in the house by the aid of a chair, and I had given up to die. Then one of my neighbors said, 'Take my advice and take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and make a new man out of yourself.' The first bottle helped me and after I had taken eight bottles in about six weeks I was weighed and found I had gained twenty-seven (27) pounds, and I am as stout and healthy to-day, I think, as I ever was."

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Fooling With Fate. "Football is getting to be a very strenuous game," remarked the new comer taking a seat.

"How so?" queried the old timer. "I learn by the papers that many deaths and injuries result from the er says that football is too rough for

"It seems a strange decree of Providence," mused the old timer, "that the youth of the country should be mi-There are 1,350 pupils enrolled in raculously delivered from boyhood's the public schools of Albuquerque. In perils only to be sacrificed on the the public schools of Santa Fe not one grid-iron. Take the average boy. Behalf and but a little over one-third of fore he learns to walk he falls down that number are enrolled. It is not the a well and is fished up none the worse difference in population but the differ- for the wear. Then he climbs up a ence in public school houses that ac- telegraph pole and falls on the stone counts for the fact that so many of pavement without injury. He tumbles Santa Fe's boys and girls grow up out of a three story window, but is not without any education at all. That hurt. He eats green apples and indithis has a certain influence upon the gestion never troubles him, He is preenough men teachers. There should future growth and standing of the city cipitated down several flights of be a preponderance of women in goes without saying. The splendid stairs, lands on a stand filled charge of pupils under fourteen years public school buildings of the Duke with plants and flowers and only old, but pupils over that age should be City give it an advantage over Santa the flower pots are broken. He walks taught by men. Your educators tell Fe that is hard to overcome at present along the edge of an eight story buildme there is a dearth of men teachers and will be much harder to overcome ing, loses his balance, strikes the telegraph wires, rebounds and alights or a horse's back standing in the street. President Roosevelt agrees with the The horse dies but the boy is safe. definition of graft that says: "Graft And yet," he went on sadly, "the boy is the meanest and lowest form of grows up to play football and is

> Things ought to boom in the House now with Cannon as speaker. -0-

> Nothing brings out the superior conversational powers of a woman like a quiet whist game.

> Post election investigation ascribes the defeat of Tom Johnson to the fact that his band played "Hiawatha" dur-

A Pueblo man has written a touching little poem entitled "Watch Our Undertaker and Smoke." His theme is almost as appropriate to Pueblo as it would be to

Chicago has passed an ordinance Genuine firearms can still be had, however, reducing the danger to the

Our climate has never been especiingly of Judge Pope, who is conducting ally exploited as a specific for deafa term of court over there. The Reg- ness, but a sheepman near the city who ister says the manner in which the new has been deaf 20 years went out the

> There was a girl from Santa Fe Who thought that whist she could play, But her partner's face

When she trump'd his ace Made her think the other way.

The uncontrollable mob of curious women who blocked the carriages at the Roxburghe-Goelet wedding at New York trying to catch a glimpse of the central figures would indicate that the "Nothing to Do" Club got real busy for awhile.

A nephew of Senator Beveridge has been jamed in Denver for burglary. His illustrious uncle should have schooled the young man in the beauties and intricacies of political grafting. It is more remunerative and less dangerous.

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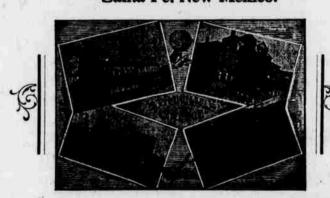
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